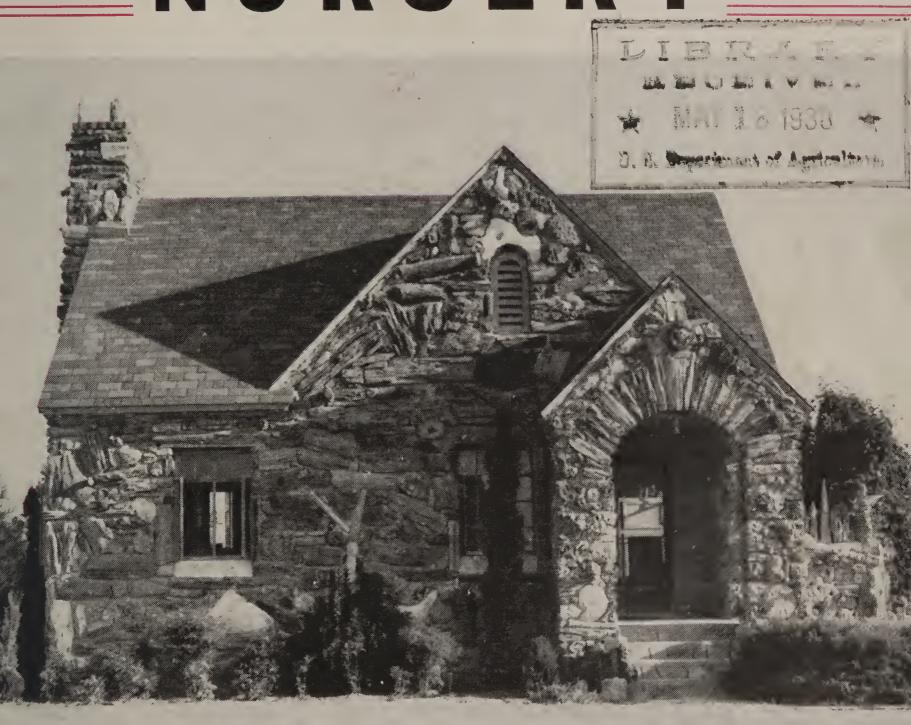
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# WOLFE'S NURSERY



Sure Bearing Fruit Trees, Nut Trees, Scions, Ornamental Shrubs and Evergreens

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STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS



They
Will
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New Patented Rose—Texas Centennial (Plant Patent No. 162)

# **Texas Centennial**

HT. A bright vermilion red, with tone of gold at base of petals and a light red at the center of bloom, turning to a deep, rich pink as the bloom ages. One of the very best of the new roses. Postpaid.

Each......\$ .60; Three for......\$1.50; Dozen.....\$5.00

# A Personal Word



HERBERT O'NEAL Evergreens and Shipping



ROSS R. WOLFE, Mgr.



W. M. PETERS Production Mgr.

In behalf of all who work for our nursery and our families I wish to thank our customers. "We never have a friend too many."

I personally supervise the growing of our nursery trees to see that our customers get the finest of high class plants. I want all customers to write me if they are not pleased with our service.

#### This Catalog Is My Salesman

You can save the agent's commission 30 to 50% on the first cost by buying from this catalog and possibly many times the cost later by getting what you buy. Please use the order blank and Postage Free envelope.

#### Free Trees

To get new customers and keep old ones I give away hundreds of free trees. This catalog tells how you can get them. See page 31 for Free Fruit Trees.

#### Fine Fruits Wanted

If you have a fine plum, peach, apple or any other fruit or plant, please write me about it. I keep an experimental orchard where I test promising new varieties.

#### Location

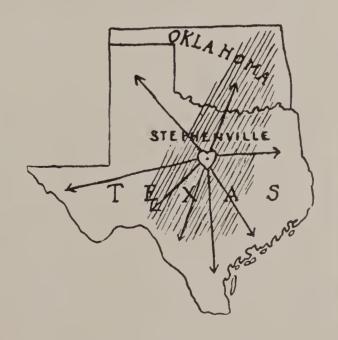
My nursery is located in the heart of Texas in the best pecan, peach, grape and berry belt of the State, 70 miles Southwest of Fort Worth, 2 miles West of Stephenville on Highway 10. My office is illustrated on front cover.

I want you to visit me and I will take pleasure in showing you my nursery and orchard.

Again thanking you for your business and good will, I am.

Sincerely yours,

ROSS R. WOLFE.



# PLEASE OBSERVE WHEN ORDERING

USE THE ORDER SHEET. It will save your time and ours and reduce the possibility of mistakes.

TERMS, CASH. Send Post Office or Express Money Order, Bank Draft, Check or Stamps. We will ship C. O. D. where one-fourth of the amount accompanies the order.

FREE TRANSPORTATION. I will pay the postage, express or freight on all orders except C. O. D. On C. O. D.'s the customer pays transportation.

SHIPPING SEASON. The shipping season for trees is from November 10th to March 20th. Cold storage bud and graft wood from March 1st to July 1st. Fresh buds of fruit from May 20th and fresh buds of pecans, walnut and persimmons from July 1st to September 25th.

SUBSTITUTION. Please state when ordering whether we can substitute a similar variety when we are out of the kinds named. We never substitute on commercial planting without consulting the customer.

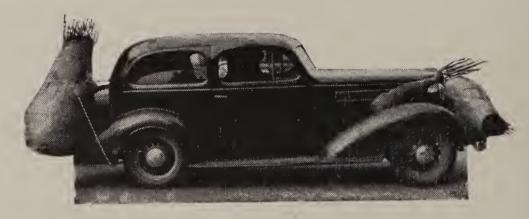
INSPECTION. A certificate of inspection from the Texas Department of Agriculture, showing that the stock has been inspected and found free from injurious insect pests and diseases will accompany each shipment.

GUARANTEE. We guarantee every plant we sell to be true to name and to be satisfactory on delivery. We will replace any plant that proves untrue to name free of charge and we will replace for one-half price all plants that die the first year after planting, provided they have been well cared for.

OPEN FOR VISITORS EVERY DAY IN THE WEEK AND SUNDAYS AFTER 2 P. M.

### Cheaper Price At The Nursery

I want you to come to the nursery for your trees if possible. I want to meet you and I want you to see what you are getting.



This is a picture of Lee Clark and J. U. W. Jones from Rising Star, Texas, who with their wives came in their new car and are carrying back 2,000, 2-3 ft. fruit trees. All stock is packed so it will not scar the best car.

#### HOW TREES ARE GRADED NUMBER OF PLANTS REQUIRED Our fruit trees are graded by caliper, rather than by height. Thus, when they are planted in the orchard and cut back they are of uniform PER ACRE 90 22x22 feet 6x 6 feet 1210 size and more satisfactory to the planter. The grades listed in this book refer to the approximate 24x24 feet 75 8x 8 feet 680 heights of the tops of trees in feet, and correspond to the following caliper sizes taken two inches above the bud. (Figs and walnuts excepted.) 25x25 feet 69 10x10 feet 435 48 302 30x30 feet 12x12 feet 15x15 feet 193 35x35 feet 35 11/16" caliper and up...approx. 6 to 8' Extra Large 40x40 feet 27 16x16 feet 170 1/2" to 11/16" caliper.....approx. 4 to 6' Large 50x50 feet 18 18x18 feet 134 3/8" to 1/2" caliper.....approx. 3 to 4' 60x60 feet 12 caliper.....approx. 2 to 3' 20x20 feet 109 1/4" to 3/8"

#### Frost Resistant Fruit Trees

Many peach growers are making from \$200 to \$400 per acre annually on peaches. I will tell you their secret. Good trees, frost resistant commercial varieties, good peach land that has good air and water drainage and good care.

#### **Merchants On Wheels**

The truck has brought the grower and the consumer closer together. Hauling fruit from 400 to 1,000 miles is not uncommon. With so many orchard trees dying out and with better transportation facilities there is not enough fruit to supply the demand.

Marked for frost resistance: XXXX means frost resistant; XXX means hardy; XX means reasonably hardy, and X means easily killed.

# PRICES ON PEACH AND PLUM TREES DELIVERED

Size	1-9	10-49	<b>50-299</b>	300-999	1000 up
12-24 in.	\$ .12	\$ .10	\$ .08	\$ .07	\$ .061/2
2-3 ft. lt.	.15	.13	.12	.10	.091/2
2-3 ft. hvy.	.20	.18	.15	.14	.13
3-4 ft.	.30	.26	.21	.19	.18
Large	.55	.50	.45	.42	****
Ex. Large	.75	.70	.65	****	••••

Note: Large and extra large are 2-year-old trees. Large being from 4-6 ft. Extra large being from 5-7 ft. All grades 3-4 ft. and less are 1-year-old or June buds.

### Save by Coming to the Nursery

# PRICES ON PEACH AND PLUM TREES AT THE NURSERY

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299	300-999	1000 up
12-24 in.	\$ .11	\$ .09	\$ .07	\$ .06	\$ .051/2
2-3 ft. lt.	.14	.12	.11	.09	.081/2
2-3 ft. hvy.	.19	.17	.14	.13	.12
3-4 ft.	.29	.25	.20	.18	.17
Large	.50	.45	.42	.40	****
Extra Large	.70	.65	.60	****	

Note: The size of fruit trees is measured from the ground and does not include the root.

### May Peaches

BEST MAY. XXXX. A real freestone ripe May 20th. Origin Fayette County, Texas. Fruit is good size, of bright red color all over 10 days before it is ripe. The tree is very prolific and the fruit is a good shipper. I recommend this peach highly for Central and South Texas.

MAYFLOWER. XXXX. The earliest of all peaches and therefore valuable for both home and commercial planting. Medium size, creamy-white skin, mottled with dark red; juicy and delicious. C. Ripe May 20th.

EARLY WHEELER. XXXX. The peach we sell for the Early Wheeler is sold by the Stark Nurseries for Red Bird Cling. The Early Wheeler is a shy bearer for me while the Red Bird Cling is a heavy bearer. It is better colored than Early Wheeler and has the same size and shipping qualities.



ORCHARD OF D. J. JOBES

D. J. Jobes' 70-acre orchard of PECANS and PEACHES at Gorman, Texas. Every fourth tree is a pecan. This is one of the most profitable orchards in Texas. Mr. Jobes has been one of our customers for 10 years. Trees set 30 x 30 feet.

#### June Peaches

EARLY ROSE. XXXX. I was sold on Early Rose good and hard the first time I saw one of the trees in bearing. Each year I have them fruited in my own orchard I like them better. Some years they bear so much they have to be thinned. Free from rot, good canner, brilliant red, delicious and fine for market. A cling stone ripening June 10 to 15th.

ARP BEAUTY. XXXX. This yellow fleshed, red cheeked, semi-cling, ripens June 10. Large, beautiful and delicious. Rather tender for shipping.

HOBSON CLING. XXXX. I have grown the Hobson Peach over 20 years and find it to be regular in bearing and one of my favorites. The fruit is size and color of Mamie Ross, more delicious and a good shipper. Ripe June 25th.

LEUTICHAU. XXXX. This peach is from Florida. It is adapted to sections having mild winters. It is adapted to South Texas and the Gulf Coast Region. It ripens early in June, is a white freestone, colors highly, and is one of the heaviest producers. The size is medium and the flavor very sweet with no acid at all. It seems to be related to the honey peach. The tree is very vigorous.

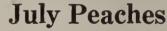
DR. BURTON. XXXX. I have had Dr. Burton bearing 8 years and have gotten 8 crops. It has led 73 varieties in bearing at the Iowa Park Experiment Sta-

tion. The tree is a strong grower and healthy. This peach is extra large, white flesh, streaked with red and sweet buttery flavor. Better shipper than Mamie Ross. Freestone. Ripens June 25th.

MAMIE ROSS. XXXX. Originated in Dallas County, Texas. A very successful and sure bearing variety, very prolific. Large, white with cream blush on one side. White flesh, semi-cling. Ripe June 25th.

GOLDEN JUBILEE. XXX. New-Earliest Yellow Freestone ripening about June 20th. A beautiful, very early, large, delicious and similar to Elberta. A better shipper than most early peaches. Blooms late and the tree is vigorous.

BEAUTY. XXXX. This peach should only have XXXX after it when it is grown from here North. I do not recommend it for East, Central or South Texas. This variety is sold under several different names, some names being copyrighted. I have gone to a lot of trouble and expense to secure the finest strain of this variety. I consider it one of the most profitable early market varieties. It is a yellow peach with a beautiful mottled red cheek, a semi-cling that begins ripening June 10th and ripens for three weeks. Can be hauled several hundred miles to market. The tree is remarkably free from diseases like leaf curl. It ripens at a time when the highest market prices are paid for peaches. By all means plant Beauty peaches if you live in a section as cold as Stephenville.



LEONA. XXXX. This is another yellow freestone, ripe one week ahead of Elberta. It is very popular among the peach growers, many of whom sell the fruit for Elberta. It is better in color and quality. You will like Leona.

ELBERTA. XX. This yellow freestone is too well known to need description and is still our best seller except the Frank. I have a fine strain of Elberta. Ripe July 20th to 25th.



Nine-year Beauty Peaches of Jess Warren, of Comanche, averaging 6 bushels to the tree.

INDIAN CLING. XXXX. I have a neighbor who bought some Indian peach trees out of Arkansas 25 years ago. These trees are still healthy and bearing the finest large, red fleshed, blood skinned peaches I have ever seen. I have three of them in my office that fill a half gallon jar. I will pay \$25.00 for buds of a better Indian than I have.

J. H. HALE. XX. There is a big difference in Hale peaches. I got my start from F. O. Garrison of Weatherford, who won the Grand Prize at the Parker County Peach Show. One of the finest freestone peaches grown in color, flavor and shipping quality. Plant with Frank for pollination. Ripe July 28th.

SMITH. XXXX. This little, white freestone should be in every home orchard because it bears tremendous crops every year and because of that honey sweet flavor. I like to go to my Smith trees and eat the fruit right off the tree. Ripe July 10th to 15th.

SOUTH HAVEN. XXXX. Better than average size, prolific, dependable, ripens early about July 1st, juicy, yellow flesh and a freestone. Not as firm as Elberta but is a good canning peach and a good market peach.

BELLE OF GEORGIA. XXXX. Very large, white fleshed with red cheek; firm, juicy and excellent flavor. Very hardy and grows with equal success in

both North and South. Productive, early semi-free to freestone. The most beautiful white peach grown and a good canner. Ripe July 20th.

CHILOW. XXX. This pure yellow cling should be in every home orchard. There is no peach that will surpass this peach for eating and canning. Medium size and ripe July 25th.

HALEHAVEN. XXXX. This peach is a cross between South Haven and J. H. Hale. A large, beautifully colored yellow fleshed peach, ripening two weeks ahead of Elberta. A per-

fect freestone, strong thrifty grower, splendid shipper and an extremely heavy bearer. It has an exceptionally fine flavor and is very hardy. It colors highly 10 days before ripening, therefore a good shipper. It bears early and ripens at a time when peaches are in demand. It should be in every orchard. Price same as Stubenrauch peaches.

ELBERTA CLING. XXX. There is no need for paying three prices for this wonderful peach. D. J. Jobes of Gorman has a large planting of this variety and considers it one of his best market varieties due to its color, quality, shipping quality and production. Ripe with Elberta.

### **August Peaches**

There is a strong demand for peaches after Elberta is gone. Trucks are buying watermelons and grapes and want peaches which are always scarce. Plant late fruit where you have good moisture.

AUGBERTA. XX. This big freestone Elberta ripens August 15th when other people are sold out. Better in color and quality and a good shipper.

# Four-Year-Old Franks Make \$200.00 Per Acre.



Geo. Robertson's, of Goldthwaite, 385 trees of 4-year Franks produced over 1,000 bushels 1937 selling for \$1.50 per bushel.

HART CLING. XXXX. This is the popular peach of Parker County, Texas. September 15 issue of Farm and Ranch carries a front page story of this peach. The peach is white with red next to the seed, red cheek and an extra good bearer and shipper. Fine for canning. Half of Parker County's Commercial crop is Hart Cling. Ripe August 10th.

CRAWFORD LATE IMPROVED. XXXX. Mid-season yellow freestone. Our strain is larger, better quality, tree hardy and a surer bearer than the old Crawford Late. This is especially recommended for home orchards and nearby markets. Ripe about 10 days after Elberta.

### September Peach

HENRIETTA. XXX. A most attractive yellow clingstone. Skin rich yellow with red cheeks. High quality. Excellent table and pickling peach.

#### October Peach

SURPRISE. XXXX. This large white clingstone gets ripe the latter part of October and will hang on the tree two weeks after getting ripe. It is good to eat as well as can, pickle and preserve. Due to its quality, color and time of ripening it has a great future as a market variety. It always wins in the late fall shows.

# FAMOUS STUBENRAUCH PEACHES

We have arranged with Mr. J. W. Stubenrauch of Mexia, Texas, to grow his best peaches, the Frank, Katy, Tena, Frankie, Barbara and Anna which have become popular due to their frost resistance, vigor of trees and quality of fruit.

# PRICES ON STUBENRAUCH VARIETIES AND HALEHAVEN, PREPAID

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299	300-999	1000 up
12-24 in.	\$ .15	\$ .13	\$ .12	\$ .10	\$ .091/2
2-3 ft. lt.	.20	.17	.15	.13	.12
2-3 ft. hvy.	.30	.27	.20	.17	.16
3-4 ft.	.40	.36	.25	.22	.21
Large	.70	.60	.55	••••	****
Extra Large	.85	.75	.70	••••	••••

# PRICES ON STUBENRAUCH VARIETIES AND HALEHAVEN PEACHES AT THE NURSERY

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299	300-999	1000 up
12-24 in.	\$ .14	\$ .12	\$ .11	\$ .09	\$ .081/2
2-3 ft. lt.	.19	.16	.14	.12	.11
2-3 ft. hvy	.29	.26	.19	.16	.15
3-4 ft.	.38	.35	.24	.21	.20
Large	.65	.55	.50	****	••••
Extra Large	.80	.70	.65	***	

FAMOU

We have a

Texas, to gr

Frankie, Bar

due to their
of fruit.

The Frank Peach
has not missed a
crop in 35 years.

Medal awarded to J. W.
Stubenrauch by The
Texas Agricultural
Workers' Association for
his peach breeding work.

FRANK. XXXX. I could put another X after Frank for frost resistance. A cross between Elberta and Bell's October that is fast becoming Texas' most popular peach. This yellow cling, named for Frank Holland of Farm and Ranch, begins to ripen just as Elberta is playing out about August 5-10th and will hang on the trees without injury several days after it is ripe. A beautiful

peach, yellow flesh, small sound seed, firm, delicious, sweet flesh and juice. The tree is an extra strong grower, early bearer and heavy producer. The fruit should be thinned (before the seeds are hard) to secure the proper size and quality. If you want the best peach on earth for home or market, plant the Frank.

### What Others Say About the Frank Peach

"The Frank Peach possesses every good quality."—F. B. Bond, Mexia, Texas.

"I put the Frank at the top of the list."—Fernando Miller, Somerset, Texas.

"My Franks have not missed a crop in twenty-one years. It is the Acme of Perfection in a peach."—W. M. Jones, Tehuacana, Texas.

"The Frank is ideally suited to this locality; it out-bears the Elberta five to one."—Geo. Robertson, Goldthwaite, Texas.

"I sold my Franks on the Houston and San Antonio markets from \$1.75 to \$2.75 per bushel."

-Kurt Schroeter, Marble Falls, Texas.

"I regard it (Frank) as the most promising variety and surest bearer."—J. R. Eanes, Comanche, Texas.

"Frank produces good crops when Elberta freezes out."—Homer Hutchins, Grandview, Texas.

"The Frank means a new era in the peach business. It will keep from a week to ten days after being gathered and can be hauled to distant markets in fine condition. My seven-year Frank peach trees have averaged 6½ bushels per tree each year for the last four years."—Luther Cox, Mexia, Texas.

"The most outstanding peach produced in the Southwest."—Farm and Ranch.

See Frank Peach, pages 6 and 17.

### Fresh Fruits are Luscious



"Grow your own fruit" has become a popular slogan. And there is no excuse for failing to have a few trees bearing Peaches, Plums, Pears, Figs, and Grapes in every yard. They make splendid shade in the back yard and provide Fruit that would have to be bought and usually at high prices.

A small assortment of fruit trees can find room on even a small lot, and will provide a continuous supply of varieties . . . It's not a farm home without fruit.



J. E. Spencer, of Cisco, inspecting Frank Peaches of F. B. Bond, Mexia, Texas. Franks bear annually.



Luther Cox, Mexia, Texas, has averaged over \$400 per acre on Franks for 5 years (no failures). This tree produced 20 bushels in 1936-37.

TENA. Similar to Elberta in color and shape but from one week to ten days earlier in ripening. It has a brighter red color than Elberta and the quality is much better. It is a cross of Mamie Ross with Elberta. It blooms late with Mamie Ross and is rarely injured by cold. This high-class yellow freestone beats the Elberta to market.

BARBARA. A sister seedling of Frank but a freestone. It has the same vigor of tree and sure bearing habit of Frank. The peach is larger than Frank with a beautiful shape, being pointed at the

#### **Combination Trees**

Combination No. 1

PEACH. This tree is budded so that it will bear three kinds of peaches, all ripening at different times. Budded to Mayflower, Early Rose, Frank and Surprise. We have them that will bear two kinds and three kinds.

Price of Combination Tree Prepaid, Each 2 Kinds, \$ .44; 3 Kinds, \$ .66.

#### Combination No. 2

Peach, Plum and Apricot, Bruce and America Plum, Frank and Early Rose Peach. Price same as above.

lower end. It is a good canner and shipper. A fifteen-year-old tree in the Stubenrauch Orchard has a spread of 37 feet and has borne 10 bushels at several different times. It ripens August 10th with the Frank.

KATY. Katy is the largest yellow freestone peach. Sometimes a single peach weighs one pound. It is a beautiful shape, color and the best of quality. Blooms late and rarely ever bit by frost or cold. It is also an Elberta and Bells October cross. It begins to ripen as the Barbara and Frank pass out.



P. B. Cate, of Mexia, Texas, grows Frank, Katy, Tena, and Barbara Peaches and likes them because they make money every year.

FRANKIE. XXXX. This is what we have been looking for —a freestone Frank. This variety was discovered in the orchard of Kurt Schroeter of Marble Falls, which came to him in a shipment of Frank trees. It is a perfect freestone.

Mr. Schroeter has fruited this peach alongside the Frank for several years and considers it as profitable as the Frank. It is a good producer even in years of late frost. The color is beautiful, being yellow with a liberal

spread of red on cheek. It is one of the best shipping peaches I have ever seen. It ripens about August 20th. I believe this peach will make peach history. I only have a few thousand trees of this variety in all the grades up to and including 3-4 ft. I can not furnish large or



F. B. Bond, of Mexia, with 6-year-old Frank producing tree-breaking crops every year. "The most perfect peach."

extra large trees. Prices same as other Stubenrauch varieties.

ANNA. XXXX. A decided favorite of Mr. Stubenrauch. It is medium size, white freestone. Small seed with red flesh next to the seed. Very sweet, ripening about June 10th. Rather tender for long hauls and shipping.



The Frankie Peach



R. B. Alexander with a basket of Holland Apples. See page 20.

#### Free Peach Trees

MARY JANE. XXX. A new peach originated by Little Nursery of Corsicana. Large, fragrant and very delicious. Ripening June 5. One tree sent free with every order of \$5.00 or more.

#### **Selection of Varieties**

BEST PEACHES FOR SOUTH AND SOUTHWEST TEXAS: Best May, Chilow, Hobson Cling, Leona, Leutichau, Mayflower, Mamie Ross, Smith, Indian, Frankie and Frank.

BEST PEACHES FOR THE PLAINS: Belle of Georgia, Early Wheeler, Frank, J. H. Hale, Henrietta, Hobson Cling, Leona, Mamie Ross, Late Crawford, Beauty, Halehaven, Golden Jubilee, South Haven, and Dr. Burton.

BEST PEACHES FOR NORTH AND CENTRAL TEXAS: Frank, Tena, Katy, Barbara, Anna, Frankie, Best May, Chilow, Early Wheeler, Indian, Halehaven, South Haven, Golden Jubilee, Mayflower, Hobson, and Dr. Burton.



Kurt Schroeter, of Marble Falls, puts Frank and Frankie at the top of the list.

This Frank produced 12 bushels.

#### Plums

Our stock of plum trees is unusually fine. Prices prepaid.

XXXX means frost resistant; XXX means hardy; XX mean reasonably hardy and X means easily killed.

#### PRICES ON PLUMS SAME AS PEACHES, PAGE 3

SIX WEEKS. XXXX. The earliest good plum on the market. Large, rich red and delicious. Ripe May 20th.

AMERICA. XXXX. Tree very thrifty, symmetrical, spreading, fruit medium to large, bright golden ground with pink cheeks, flesh firm, stone medium to large, cling. Ripe June 20th. Best commercial plum.

BURBANK. XXX. Large, clear purplish red, flesh deep yellow, very sweet and agreeable flavor. Very prolific. Ripens about June 25th. Prune Burbank each year for best results

BRUCE. XXXX. Large, red, productive. A hybrid originated by Mr. A. L. Bruce of Donley County, Texas. On account of early ripening, large size, firm shipping quality, productivness and deliciouness of flavor, we believe we should have to consider this the most profitable of all plums.

SHIRO. XXX. One of the most desirable plums over a wide area. Large to very large, oblong, clear, transparent



Burbank Plum

yellow, with very small seed; firm and fine texture, quality unsurpassed for eating and for cooking purposes. Ripe in July.

### **Plum-Cherry**

COMPASS. XXX. Tree a vigorous grower, hardy, prolific, and bears extremely young, often fruiting in the nursery row. Fruit rather small, dark red, good for cooking purposes. Ripe in June.



America Plums

OPATA. XXXX. Tree very beautiful when in bloom and very fragrant. Fruit medium, purplish red, splashed with green, flesh greenish color and very fine flavor. Clingstone. Ripe last of June and first of July.

SAPA. XXXX. Tree dwarfish, thrifty and often sets fruit at one year of age. Fruit large, dark purple with greenish splotches, flesh rich, dark purple-red of rich flavor and with small pit. Ripe last of June and excellent for cooking.

The Opata and Sapa Plum-Cherry originated in Dakota and will stand our cold perfectly.

#### **Red Nectarine**

RED NECTARINE. XXX. The Nectarine is a bud sport of the peach, and is not a cross. The Nectarine tree is identical with the peach tree and its climatic and cultural requirements. Its smooth fuzzless skin, however, and distinctive and delicious flavor make it popular wherever it is known.

The fruit is medium sized, red in color, semi-cling of extra good flavor. Tree a medium grower and good bearer, earliest of the shipping nectarines. Carries well to market. Ripe in late June. Price 18-24 inch trees, 35c each; 2-3 feet trees, 50c, prepaid.



Munson Plum; small seed and fine flavor

THE MUNSON PLUM. XXXX. When I tasted the Munson Plum I said it is as yellow as gold and as sweet as honey. It gets ripe June 1st when berries are at their best. The Munson and Bruce should not only be in every home orchard, but should be raised by all having black-berries or dewberries to sell. The Munson Plum is a great find.

Prices on	Munson Plum	Trees. Prepaid.
Size	1-10	10 and up
1-2 feet	\$ .25	\$ .20
2-3 feet	.35	.30
3-4 feet	.50	.45
4-5 feet	.75	.70

FREE COON PLUM. XXXX. My cousin, Elmo Coon of Milsap, Texas, has an early eating plum that is beautifully red and delicious that he considers better than any other early plum. I propagated enough of trees of these to send one to each of our customers who buys \$10.00 worth of nursery stock. I want this variety thoroughly tried out. See page 31 for other FREE NURSERY Stock.

#### German Prune

This is an even cross between plum and prune that will grow and bear in Texas. The size of the fruit is from 1½ inches to 2 inches in diameter, round in shape, blue black in color with reddish meat and very small seed. The fruit is very delicious and is good for jelly, preserves and canning. Ripens from July 10th to 20th and will stay on the trees several days after ripening. It can be marketed with the Elberta Peach. I secured my start of this from a ten-year-old tree in Comanche, Texas, which was over one foot in diameter. It has produced a crop of fruit every year.

#### PRICES ON GERMAN PRUNE TREES

Size	1-10	10 and up
2-3 feet	\$ .35	\$ .30
3-4 feet	.60	.50
4-5 feet	.75	.70

"We have tested all known varieties of prunes and selected this as the best".

-Stark.

#### **Pears**

The trees are beautiful and live to a ripe old age. You will like our pear trees.

Mellow pears are healthy. This list of select varieties has been reduced to such as has been thoroughly tested and proven valuable throughout the largest section of the South.

# PRICES ON PEAR AND APPLE TREES DELIVERED

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
12-24 in.	\$ .15	\$ .14	\$ .13
2-3 ft. lt.	.20	.18	.15
2-3 ft. hvy.	.25	.22	.20
3-4 ft.	.35	.32	.30
Large	.60	.55	.50
Extra Large	.75	.70	.60

# PRICES ON PEAR AND APPLE TREES AT THE NURSERY

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
12-24 in.	\$ .14	\$ .13	\$ .12
2-3 ft. lt.	.19	.17	.14
2-3 ft. hvy.	.24	.21	.19
3-4 ft.	.33	.30	.28
Large	.55	.50	.45
Extra Large	.70	.65	.55

BARTLETT: Large, buttery, melting, of rich flavor. Very popular. Ripens last of July and during August.

DOUGLAS. See page 20.

GARBER: Resembles the Kieffer in size, appearance and quality, but matures here in August and between the

Le Conte and Kieffer. A thrifty grower and valuable variety. Good to eat.



Kieffer

KIEFFER. Fruit large to very large, skin yellow, with a light vermilion cheek, flesh brittle, very juicy with a marked mushy aroma, quality good, matures from September to October. Tree vigorous and very prolific. Begins to bear when four years old.

### **Apricots**

XXXX means frost resistant; XXX means hardy, XX means reasonably hardy and X means easily killed.

By planting Improved Cluster and Moorpark apricots you can have apricots ripening for a month. We have the surest bearing apricots to be had.

IMPROVED CLUSTER. XXX. I believe this is a seedling of the cluster. It bears like cluster yet it has no objectionable fiber. Sold by some nurserymen as Little Sam. Ripe June 4th.

MOORPARK. XXX. I like the Moorpark on account of its bearing, size and quality of fruit. The seed is small, flesh yellow and tender with a flavor unexcelled.

#### Prices Prepaid

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DELIVERED	PRICES (	ON API	RICOT
	TREES		
Size	1-9	10-49	<b>50-299</b>
2-3 ft. lt.	\$ .20	\$ .17	\$ .15
2-3 ft. hvy.	.25	.20	.18
3-4 ft.	.40	.35	.31
Large	.60	.55	.52
Extra Large	.80	.75	.70
PRICES ON	APRICOT	TREES	S AT
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Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
2-3 ft. lt.	\$ .19	\$ .16	\$ .14
2-3 ft. hvy.	.24	.19	.17

.38

.57

.75

.33

.52

.70

.30

.50

.65

3-4 ft.

Large

Extra Large



Delicious Apple

### **Apples**

Texas is rapidly pushing to the front as an apple State. The varieties we are listing have borne very satisfactory crops of high quality fruit in this territory.

#### Trees Same Price as Pear

DELICIOUS. I raised delicious apples this year that weighed nearly one pound apiece, I don't think I ever tasted a better flavored delicious raised anywhere. Ripe in September and October.

JONATHAN. The Jonathan apple is not so large but it makes up for this in color, quality and heavy bearing. It gets ripe in this section in September.

KING DAVID. Mr. J. Frank Browning of Baird, Texas, who has the largest apple orchard in this section, places the King David as his first choice. These red apples which get ripe in August sell like hot cakes. King David and Golden Delicious are good pollinators for Delicious.

GOLDEN DELICIOUS. This apple is just like Delicious except it is a golden yellow; it is a good keeper. Yellow Delicious will make you money.

YELLOW TRANSPARENT. This mellow, yellow apple really gets ripe about June 10th. The trees are very prolific and the apple is good for cooking and for early market.

STAYMEN'S WINESAP. Well known fall and winter apple.

# Crab Apple Trees Price—Same as Apples

TRANSCENDANT (Siberian). July. An attractive yellow color, splashed and striped with red; bears very young. We value it highly for preserves. Buds and blossoms exquisitely beautiful.

### **Mulberries**

HICKS MULBERRY. A strong, upright, fast-growing tree with dense foliage, thriving anywhere and furnishing excellent shade. Bears good sized delicious black berries. A tree for the bird-lover, whether it be robins and bluebirds, or only white leghorns. Splendid for chicken runs. 8-10 ft., \$1.25; 6-8 ft., \$1.00; 4-6 ft., \$0.75; 3-4 ft., \$0.50. Postpaid.

### **Cherry Trees**

Size.	1-9	10-49
2-3 feet	\$ .50	\$ .46
3-4 feet	.75	.68
Large	.95	.90
Extra Large	1.25	1.15

Prices on Cherry Trees, Prepaid.

MONTMORENCY. Bright red, delicious flavor, firm fleshed for preserves, cobblers and puddings. The greatest American Canning Cherry. Tree hardy, strong, disease resistant, less affected by wet weather. Young sure bearer.

RICHMOND. Leading early sour cherry. Ripens June 15th. Fine for pies.

#### **Figs**

Figs ripen every day from June 15th till frost. Figs should be planted more extensively, do not let the sprouts and suckers grow, but prune the trees so as to have clean bodies at least two feet high. Cut tops back to six or twelve inches above ground when planting. Such trees will bear full and will stand much colder weather than if the sprouts are allowed to grow.

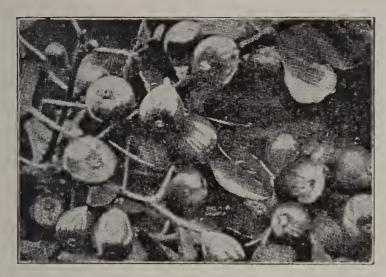
#### PRICES OF FIG BUSHES DELIVERED

Size		1-9		10-49
Small		\$ .25		\$ .20
Medium		.35		.32
PRICES	OF	 BUSHES	AT	THE

 Size
 1-9
 10-49

 Small
 \$ .23
 \$ .19

 Medium
 .33
 .30



MAGNOLIA. Very large, brownish straw color, excellent for canning and for preserves. Will bear on one year stems. More widely known than any of the other figs. Bears over a long period, having young green fruit at the same time as mature ripe fruit.

BROWN TURKEY. Medium size, purplish-brown, sweet and good. Very prolific. Has habit of bearing on new wood, even fruiting in the nursery row.

CELESTIAL. July. The common little blue fig. None is sweeter and very hardy.

RAMSEY. This fig has been our earliest and heaviest bearer. The fruit is a light straw color, large and sweet. You will get enough figs from one of our Ramsey figs the first year to pay for it. It bears heavy in the nursery.

#### **Persimmons**

The leading fruit of the lower South. Demand increasing far in excess to their supply. Plant Persimmons, the trees live 50 to 100 years. They bear very young, bear every year, the fruit is ornamental, delicious and easily sold.

# PRICES ON PERSIMMON TREES DELIVERED

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
2-3 ft.	\$ .40	\$ .33	\$ .30
3-4 ft.	.45	.40	.33
Large	.55	.50	.45
Extra Large	.80	.75	.70

# PRICES ON PERSIMMON TREES AT THE NURSERY

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
2-3 ft.	\$ .38	\$ .32	\$ .28
3-4 ft.	.43	.38	.32
Large	.52	.48	.43
Extra Large	.75	.70	.65

DATA MARU: This is my largest persimmon and first to ripen. The fruit is yellow and one of the largest grown. I grew 60 of these fruits last year that measured one bushel.

EUREKA: If you like your persimmons soft, to be eaten as a salad fruit, you will want to plant the popular Eureka. Every year more people are enjoying in November and December ripe Eureka with sugar and lemon juice, a dish fit for a king. The Eureka is a hardy variety that bears profuse crops of fruits which look like big red tomatoes. Our strain of Eureka is almost seedless.

TANE-NASH: Very large, roundish. conical, pointed very smooth and symmetrical, color of skin light yellow changing to bright red at full maturity, flesh yellow, generally seedless, astringent until fully ripe, then one of the best.

### The Grape

This ancient fruit is at home on any character of soil and there is not a place that should be without it. Whether in the vineyard or arbors, backyards, or trained on fences, porches or buildings, the grape bears with astonishing regularity.

PRICES OF GRAPE VINES, DELIV-ERED, EXCEPT SPECIAL VARIETIES

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
Small	\$ .15	\$ .12	\$ .10
Medium	.20	.18	.15

PRICES OF GRAPE VINES AT THE NURSERY, EXCEPT SPECIAL VARIETIES

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
Small	\$ .14	\$ .11	\$ .09
Medium	.19	.17	.14

NIAGARA: White grape that does quite well all over the South. Cluster very large, berry very large, skin thick and tough, making it an excellent shipping variety, and opens up well and makes good appearance. Quality good. Ripens July 15th.

BLACK SPANISH: This is the most dependable grape for the Southwest. Berries compact, bunches large. A sure and heavy producer. Good for eating, juice and wine.



Carman Grape

CARMAN: Growth vigorous; foliage never attacked by leaf folder or mildew; prolific, cluster large, conical, compact. Berries persistent, medium, globular, color black with thin skin. Tough, never cracking; pulp meaty, firm and tender when ripe. Rich quality, superior to Concord; seeds easily leaving pulp. Ripe August 10th. Makes good juice or wine.

HERBEMONT: July. Medium size; round, black; not good when it first turns black, but delicious when thoroughly ripe. Vine robust and long lived. Also good for juice and wine.

DELAWARE. This is an excellent grape for eating and for wine. It is a light grower, but heavy and regular bearer. The berry is small and the color is red.

ZINFANDEL: This new California grape is bearing and doing well for Mike Boyd, Ballinger, Texas. The bunches are compact, berry black and produces enormous quantity. Planted for wine it is worth trying. Good plants 25c; large plants, 50c each, prepaid.

### **Special Varieties of Grapes**

GOLDEN MUSCAT. A new cross between a California Grape and an American grape, a heavy yielder of large clusters and very delicious. This grape was put out by the New York Fruit Testing Station at \$5.00 per vine. I have a limited number of these plants at 25c each, postpaid.

MISSION. Undoubtedly the finest California wine and eating grape and was brought to this country by the Padres. It is becoming very popular in West Texas. 25c each; \$2.50 per 12; \$15.00 per 100, prepaid.

THOMPSON SEEDLESS: The best known seedless grape, widely planted for raisins and market and a fine home fruit as well. Very large bunches of rather small greenish yellow berries, sweet and mild. Canes should be pruned long. August. 25c each, postpaid.

#### **Muscadine Grapes**

SCUPPERNONG GRAPES. This is the best variety of Muscadine Grapes for this section. They are doing fine here. It is necessary to plant a male Muscadine with Scuppernong and one male will pollinate a dozen or more Scuppernong. I have both the male and Scuppernong vines at 50c each, postpaid.

GUMERA GRAPE. Much publicity has been given this grape by the Dallas News, Fort Worth Press and Fort Worth Star-Telegram. This grape was imported from Greece and seems to be perfectly adapted to our climatic conditions. The bunches of grapes are very large and the berry large, purple in color, very meaty, thin skinned, with only two or three small seed. The fruit grows as large as small plums and the bunches weighing up to three pounds. Price postpaid 25c each.



Gumera Grape

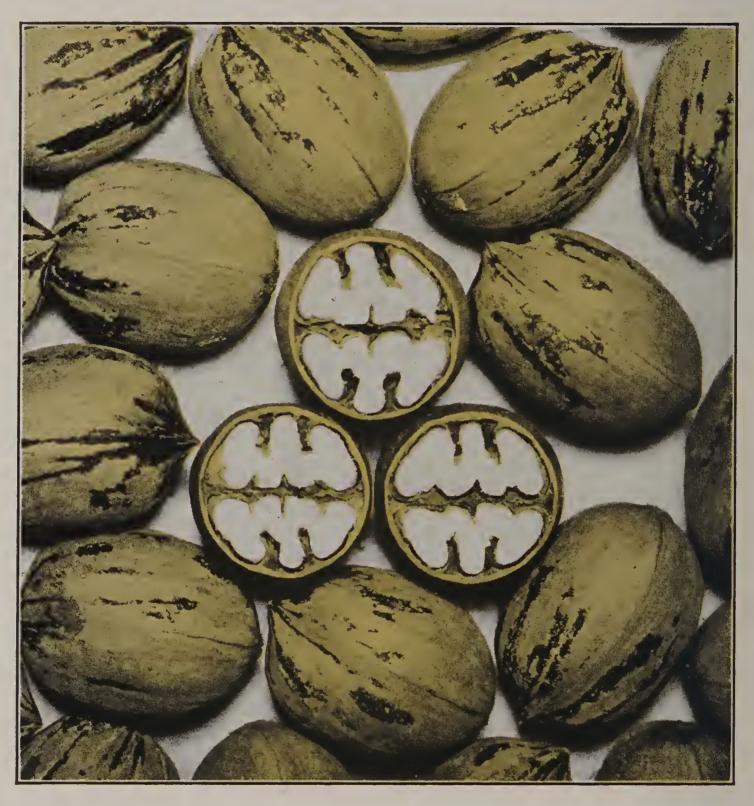


# BUY WITH CONFIDENCE

When you place an order with the Wolfe Nursery for the famous Frank Peach you may rest assured that you will get the absolute genuine trees. Budded from the original stock of Mr. J. W. Stubenrauch of Mexia, Texas. For full description and prices, see pages 6 and 7. Send your order for Frank Peaches to:

# **WOLFE'S NURSERY**

STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS



THE JOHN GARNER PECAN
41 NUTS PER POUND!
61 PER CENT MEAT!

### This Pecan has the following superior qualities:

7. The most beautiful nut grown. A real papershell, with kernels easily removed in halves. 1. Easy to propagate. 2. Produces nutlets the first year from buds and grafts. 3. Healthy, strong and vigorous tree.4. Bears nuts all through the top. 8. Creamy plump kernels, every nut is a good one. 5. Bears every year.6. Puts out late in spring and ripens early 9. Kernels rich in oil, protein, carbohydrates, vitamines and flavor. in fall. PRICES ON JOHN GARNER AND MAHAN PECAN TREES, PREPAID. Size 1-9 10-49 50-299 300 up ft. 2-4 \$1.15 \$1.00 \$ .90 4-6 1.25 1.50 2.35 2.00 3.75 3.50 NOTE: No restrictions for multiplying John Garner Pecan and Grande Walnut on your own place. Prices on John Garner Buds and Grafts. Prepaid:

100

\$4.00

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\$16.00

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\$30.00

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\$2.25

\$1.00

\$1.50



### GRANDE ENGLISH WALNUT (Our Introduction)

GRANDE. This is a new English Walnut which originated on the Rio Grande River near El Paso from seed of the hardy French variety, the Franquette. It will bear the second year, is a heavy producer of high quality, thin shell English Walnuts. The tree grows rapidly and makes a beautiful tree for yards where it can be watered.

JAPAN HART WALNUTS. Trees extremely hardy and vigorous growers. Nuts sweet and of best quality, very productive. Buds and grafts only for sale. Good pollinator for English Walnut.

WILSON WONDER ENGLISH. Called the "Jumbo Walnut" because of its enormous size,

the individual nuts often measuring more than 2 inches in diameter. Offered in the stores at Christmas time for very fancy prices. Bears very young and heavily. A hardy tree.

THE THOMAS BLACK WALNUT. The Thomas is a selected strain of Eastern Black Walnut with a comparatively thin shell which cracks easily, has light colored kernels in halves, with the same old delicious flavor which tastes so good in cakes and other confections. It makes a beautiful tree anywhere and bears heavy crops even while young.

PRICES ON WILSON WONDER ENGLISH, GRANDE ENGLISH WALNUT, JAPAN HART AND

THOMAS	BLACK WALNUT	IREES,	FREI AID
Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
2-3	\$1.00	\$ .95	\$ .90
3-4	1.30	1.20	1.10
4-5	2.00	1.65	1.45
5-6	2.25	2.00	1.90
6-8	2.75	2.25	2.00

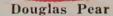
THE DOUGLAS PEAR. XXXX. The outstanding feature of Douglas is early and heavy bearing. Frequently 2 and 3 year old trees will be loaded with fruit. It is blight resisting and good quality for eating, canning and preserves. Our Douglas Pears will surprise you and please you.

# PRICES OF DOUGLAS PEAR PREPAID

Size	1-9	10-49	50-299
2-3 feet	\$ .50	\$ .45	\$ .31
3-4 feet	.60	.55	.45
Large	.80	.75	.60

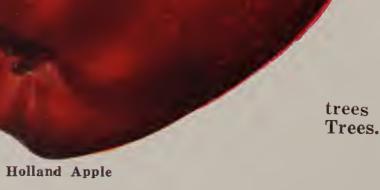
#### PRICES OF DOUGLAS PEAR AT THE NURSERY

Size	1-9	10-49	50 - 299
2-3 feet	\$ .45	\$ .40	\$ .28
3-4 feet	.55	.50	.40
Large	.75	.70	.55



HOLLAND APPLE. XXXX. This apple from Weatherford, Texas, was called to our attention by the largest and most successful fruit grower in Texas, Mr. R. B. Alexander. For more than 30 years it has been a consistent and heavy producer. The fruit is large, firm, delicious and ripens with the Frank Peach. It is a show to see this apple in production. We have the exclusive right on this variety. The price on same as Douglas Pear

trees is the same as Douglas Pear



#### PAPERSHELL PECANS

### What Are Your Plans for the Future?

What are you doing to provide for a future income? You are growing older, your health will not always be good, some younger person may get your job. When you are older, will you be mowing lawns, on relief and live with your children?

You can be independent, happy and contented by owning your own home and having an income from a pecan orchard that will grow more valuable as the years go by. Let me tell you HOW—with pecans.

#### **Pecans Good Insurance**

Plant a pecan orchard now and be prepared for the future. A tree that costs a dollar or more will quickly grow into a tree worth one hundred dollars. Our pecan trees begin to bear two and three years after they are planted so your dividends begin to come in. The older the trees the bigger the income.

### Pecans Will Send Your Children to College

The owner of this business has built a modern home and sent his children to college with the money from his pecans. Why not plant 50 or 100 pecan trees for each one of your children now so that that child may be assured of funds for their education?

### Are You a City Man?

If you are on a salary, would it not be a wise thing to lay aside a part of your earnings and buy a farm? Life in the fresh open air and a home among trees with a few chickens, cows and a garden and pecan trees to grow while you sleep will contribute to the happiness and uplift to yourself and your family.



Six hundred turkeys and a nice herd of Jersey Cattle have been kept in our pecan orchard. The shade is good for the cows and turkeys which stock in turn helped keep down vegetation, control insects, and gave their droppings to enrich the soil. This orchard has made an average income of \$100.00 per acre each year for the last three years. This orchard is now fourteen years old and is growing on upland sand that for merly grew cotton, peanuts and corn.

Plant Thrifty Trees

If you plan to start a pecan orchard it pays to buy thrifty trees like the ones I grow. It is very difficult to grow a stunted tree into a fast growing tree in the orchard.

#### Trees I Grow

The trees in my nursery are grown from special seed which produce thrifty and fast growing trees. They are grown, dug and packed in the most approved manner.

### **Soil Inspection**

If you are in doubt as to whether or not the land you have is good pecan or peach soil, I will be glad to inspect your land for you. By all means, do not plant a commercial orchard of pecans unless you know you have a good pecan soil. You can grow pecan trees in any yard where other trees will grow if you will give them water.

#### Varieties to Use

El Paso and Vicinity: John Garner, Onliwon, Western Schley and Burkett.

Oklahoma City and Vicinity: Western Schley, Sq. Delight, Burkett, John Garner and Commonwealth.

Tulsa and Vicinity: Western Schley, Sq. Delight, Stuart, Schley and Commonwealth. Texarkana and Vicinity: Success, Schley, Stuart and Moore.

Dallas and Vicinity: Western Schley, Schley, Burkett, San Saba Improved (John Garner, Onliwon, Jersey in upland).

Austin and Vicinity: Western Schley, Burkett and Schley. (John Garner, Jersey and Onliwon in upland).

Houston and Coast below 400 feet altitude: Success, Stuart, and Moore.

San Angelo, Abilene and Wichita Falls and Vicinities: John Garner Onliwon, Western Schley, Burkett, Halbert, Texas Prolific and San Saba Improved.

#### PRICES ON PECAN TREES POST-PAID, EXCEPT JOHN GARNER AND

	TATEFA	TEXTA		
Size	1-9	10-49	50-299	300 up
2-3 ft.	\$ .75	\$ .65	\$ .60	\$ .50
3-4 ft.	.85	.75	.70	.60
4-5 ft.	1.00	.90	.85	.70
5-6 ft.	1.25	1.10	.95	.80
6-7 ft.	1.60	1.50	1.35	1.25
7-8 ft. 11/4"	2.50	2.00	1.65	1.50
8-10 ft. 1½"	3.25	2.50	2.25	•
10-12 ft. $1\frac{3}{4}$ "	4.00	3.75	3.50	
2-inch	6.50	6.00	*	
$2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch	7.50	7.00	****	

# PRICES ON PECAN TREES AT THE NURSERY, EXCEPT JOHN GARNER AND MAHAN

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Size	1-9	10-49	50-299	300 up
2-3 ft.	\$ .70	\$ .60	\$ .55	\$ .45
3-4 ft.	.80	.70		
4-5 ft.	.95	.85	.80	.65
5-6 ft.	1.20	1.05	.90	.75
6-7 ft.	1.50	1.40	1.25	1.15
7-8 ft.	2.25	1.80	1.50	
8-10 ft. 1½"	3.00	2.25	2.00	
10-12 ft. 13/4"	3.75	3.50	3.25	••••
2-inch	6.00	5.50		••••
$2\frac{1}{2}$ -inch	7.00	6.50		

Note: 6-7 ft. grades and up are 6 and 7-year roots, 2 and 3-year tops, well branched, high stems for yard planting and are producing nuts in the nursery. We have some larger grades not quoted.

#### Pollination of Pecans

If you have a few native pecans among your budded pecans they will usually take care of your pollination problem. Where the orchard is all improved varieties some late pollen shedders and some early pollen shedders should be used.

Early pollen shedders: Western Schley, Texas Prolific, Success, Halbert, San Saba Improved, Squirrel's Delight, Moore and Onliwon.

Late pollen shedders: Burkett, Schley, Jersey, Delmas, Stuart and Commonwealth. One tree will furnish enough pollen for 10 trees.

#### Size of Hole for Pecan Trees

In ideal pecan soils, use a post-hole digger. The hole should be dug to a depth of about three feet. In hard soils, dig a hole three feet square and three feet deep so that the roots can get started before reaching the hard soil.

#### Distance for Planting Pecans

35 ft. by 35 ft. gives 35 trees per acre. 35 ft. by 70 ft. gives 17 trees per acre. 50 ft. by 50 ft. gives 16 trees per acre. 60 ft. by 60 ft. gives 12 trees per acre. 70 ft. by 70 ft. gives 9 trees per acre.

### We Grow the Genuine Risien Gold Medal Pecan Varieties.

WESTERN SCHLEY. Each year I like the Western Schley pecan better. Ten years ago I selected it as the best pecan of the Risien Varieties. I have done everything I could to make it more popular. The tree is remarkably healthy, a strong grower, an early and heavy bearer. The dark green foliage and symmetrical growth also make it very desirable for a yard tree. Burkett is a good pollinator for Western Schley and Western Schley and John Garner are good pollinators for Burkett.

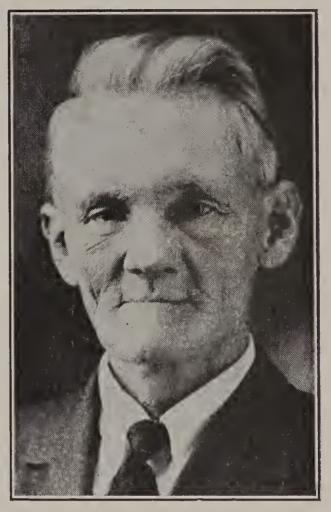
JOHN GARNER: (See page 18.)

ONLIWON: (Only One). This variety has paid Mr. Risien better than all others after 40 years' trial. Fine yellow meats come out whole. Ripe in midseason; 60% meat, shell very thin.

SAN SABA IMPROVED: This nut looks good and tastes good. Smooth, firm kernels, light colored meat and shell and the meats release readily. Ripens early. I keep these nuts for my own use.

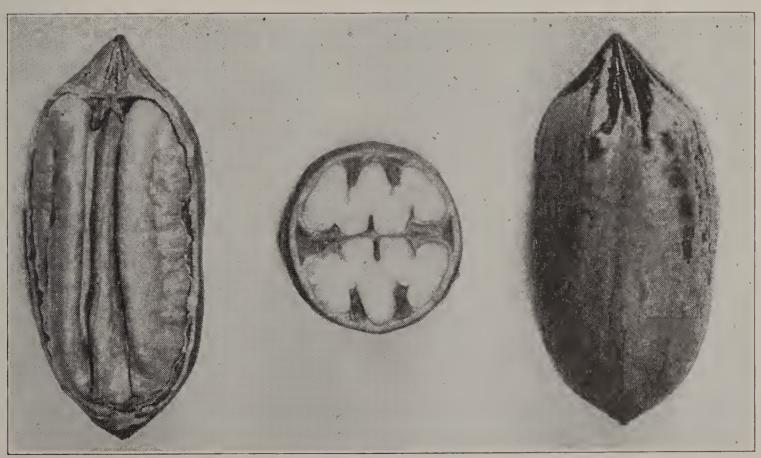
SQ. DELIGHT: The chief merit of this variety is in its earliness of ripening, making it popular in sections having short growing seasons. Very popular in Oklahoma. The nut is long like Schley.

TEXAS PROLIFIC: As the name implies, this variety is very prolific, frequently producing nuts in the nursery row. A long nut with medium shell and beautiful markings.



E. E. RISIEN World's Foremost Pecan Breeder

JERSEY: This little, oblong egg-shell variety runs 64% meat (highest on record) and is especially suited to drouthy sections. The quality of the nut is extra good and the tree is very prolific.

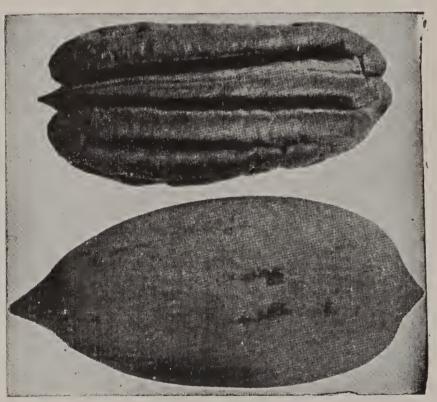


The Western Schley Pecan

BURKETT. The Burkett has been and still is the leading Western variety. The tree is a good grower, an early and regular bearer, the nuts are large and the quality so good that they are very much in demand at top market prices. Plant John Garner or Western Schley or both with the Burkett for perfect pollination.

COMMONWEALTH: This is the latest variety to put on leaves and bloom of any variety in our orchard. This is a much better nut than Sq. Delight and should be tried out alongside of it. Long like Schley.

MAHAN. I am now able to sell genuine Mahan Pecan Trees. These trees have been \$5.00 each. Prices now same as John Garner. (See page 18.)



The Mahan Pecan



The Burkett Pecan

HALBERT: Young trees inclined to be crooked, but get straighter as the tree grows older. Very early and prolific bearer. Medium size nuts, very thin shell, excellent flavor. A good tree for black waxy land. Should not be set in Mississippi, Louisiana, East Texas or East Oklahoma. 57% meat.

#### **Almonds**

TEXAS. Now one of the most popular almonds commercially because of its extremely heavy, consistent crops of small soft-shelled plump nuts, excellent for shelled kernels. A late bloomer. \$0.75 each. Prepaid. Medium size 50c each, postpaid.

### EASTERN VARIETIES OF PECAN TREES

SUCCESS: This is the most popular Eastern variety in Texas. The nut is very large and oblong, with plump smooth creamy kernels that release perfectly from the shell. The tree is healthy and prolific and very resistant to scab. It ripens just after Stuart.

SCHLEY: This is the standard of excellence among pecans. The tree is healthy and is making good in the native pecan belt of Texas, Arkansas and Oklahoma in altitudes from 350 to 1,000 feet. Gaining in popularity and ripens early.

STUART: Stuart is a good bearer and the nuts are long and attractive. The shell is rather thick, but soft and the meats are sweet and brittle.

DELMAS: The two outstanding virtues of this variety are the beauty and prolificness of the tree and size and beauty of the nut. Its best range of adaptation is Central Texas. Ripens too late for most of Oklahoma.

MOORE: It is very resistant to scab and is one of the earliest ripeners in the list. It is a good pollinator.

#### ROOT PRUNE PECAN TREES



The Success Pecan

I have some large pecan trees that are and 7-year-old with straight stems and heavy branched tops that are ideal for yard planting. These trees had the tap root and part of the side roots cut in the spring of 1937, causing the tree to recover from the shock of cutting the tap root and making it put out a heavy set of lateral roots. Most of these trees are producing nuts in the nursery. Many ripening them of from 50 to 150 nuts.

VARIETIES: Burkett, W. Schley, Halbert, Jersey, John Garner, Delmas, Success, San Saba Imp.

PRICES	ON ROOT TREES DE	PRUNE		PRICES O		PRUNE E NURSE	
Sizes	1-9	10-49	50-299	Sizes	1-9	10-49	50-299
1 inch	\$2.00	\$1.75	\$1.50	1 inch	\$1.75	\$1.50	\$1.25
11/4 inch	2.75	2.50	2.25	1¼ inch	2.50	2.25	2.00
$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	3.50	3.25	3.00	$1\frac{1}{2}$ inch	3.25	3.00	2.75
1 3/4 inch		4.00	3.75	$1\frac{3}{4}$ inch	4.00	3.75	3.50
2 inch	6.75	6.25	****	2 inch	6.50	6.00	****
21/2 inch	7.75	7.25	****	21/2 inch	7.50	7.00	***

#### Size of Pecan Tree to Plant

The trend each year is to plant larger pecan trees. The 4 to 5, 5 to 6, 6 to 7 and 7 to 8-foot are all good sizes for commercial planting. For yards or places

where pecan trees can be cared for plant trees from 7 to 12 foot for quickest and best results.

#### **BUDS AND GRAFTS**

From over 100 varieties, we have selected the following from which we have buds and grafts in cold storage from March 1st until July 1st. After that date, we will ship fresh buds.

#### **WESTERN VARIETIES:**

Western Schley
Burkett
Squirrél's Delight
Onliwon
Halbert
John Garner (see page 18)

Texas Prolific
San Saba Improved
Jersey
Commonwealth
Clark

#### EASTERN VARIETIES:

Success
Schley
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#### Pecan Buds and Grafts

(Except John Garner, Mahan and Commonwealth)

#### PRICES:

Delivered by Parcel Post

25 50 100 500 1,000 5,000 \$..75 \$1.00 \$1.75 \$7.50 \$12.50 \$50.00

Note: 5c per bud will be charged when the order includes less than 25 of any one variety.

In orders including several varieties, a straight charge for each variety will be made. For example, if an order of 100 buds includes 25 buds of four different varieties, the price of 75c will be charged for each variety, making the amount \$3.00 for the 100 buds instead of \$1.75 as listed above.

#### Grafts of Shell Bark Hickory

We have a shell bark hickory that can be budded or grafted on pecan that makes a beautiful shade tree and thin shell hickory nuts. 6-inch grafts \$1.00 per dozen. (Limited supply.)

# Black Walnuts—English Walnuts

Black Walnuts and English Walnuts can be top-worked on the native walnuts.

#### Varieties:

Thomas Black Walnut Ohio Black Walnut Wilson Wonder English Walnut Seeding English Walnut (Seedling of Franquette)

# PRICES ON BLACK AND ENGLISH WALNUT BUDS AND GRAFTS AND COMMONWEALTH PECANS

\$ .75 for 12 \$2.00 for 50 \$3.00 for 100 \$25.00 for 1,000

Note: Not less than 12 Walnut buds sold. Please make bud orders total \$1.00. Walnuts bud more easily than they graft.

### Grafts of Japan Hart Walnut

This is a hardy walnut which we got from Japan which produces regular crops of high-class walnuts, with clusters of 5 to 12 nuts to the bunch. This variety should be budded or grafted with the English Walnuts on the native walnuts to furnish pollen for them. Buds or grafts, \$1.00 per dozen. (Limited supply.)

### Japanese Persimmons

EUREKA (Yemon) — Red tomato shaped fruit. Almost seedless.

DATA MARU—Fruit is yellow, weighing nearly 1 lb. each. Early ripening.

PRICES ON BUDS AND GRAFTS: \$ .50 for 6 \$ .75 for 12 \$2.00 for 50 \$3.00 for 100 \$25.00 per 1,000 postpaid.

Note: The easiest and most successful way to work persimmons is by bark grafting or chip budding.

### Texas Pecan Patch Budder

This popular and universally used knife opens and shuts, can be carried in your pocket and is in every way adapted to the needs of patch budding.

With this knife the patches can be cut and removed without the aid of any other knife. We guarantee these knives.

Prepaid — each.....\$1.50



#### FOR SALE

#### BUDS AND GRAFTS NOT LISTED

I will be glad to sell you buds and grafts of any fruit or nut variety, cuttings of grapes or root cuttings of berries that I offer for sale. Write me a list of what you want and I will make you prices.



#### BUDDING, PRUNING, AND GRAFT-ING KNIFE

Made of the finest steel. The oval blade may be used for T-budding. Small pocket size 3% inches, stag handle, finely finished. \$1.35 each, postpaid.



#### KUNDE & SON PRUNING SHEARS

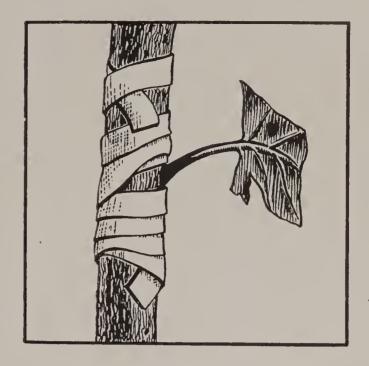
These shears are made of the finest steel and will stand heavy work in top working pecan trees and walnut trees. Length 8¾ inches—an exceptional value. Security plate and leather closure. Price \$2.60 each, postpaid.



#### DISSTON FOLDING SAW

This saw has a 10-inch blade, cutting on the draw stroke. May be carried in the hip pocket. A good saw for light pruning. \$1.45 each, postpaid.

DISSTON PRUNING SAW: Made like a hand saw. Stiff, narrow blade, 26 inches long; 5 teeth to the inch. Special beveled teeth cutting on both draw and push stroke. Reinforced handle. This is the best saw we have found for topping pecan and walnut trees. Price \$4.20 each. (Mailed direct from factory.) Postpaid.

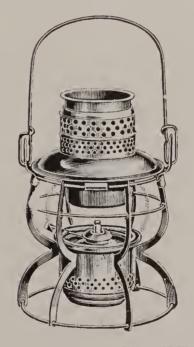


#### RUBBER BUDDING STRIPS

ADVANTAGES: (1) Exerts an even pressure without cutting the plant. The buds "take" more quickly with less loss. (2) Do not have to be cut. The strips deteriorate and usually fall off in three or four weeks. (3) Easier and faster to use than string or raffia—and save the labor of cutting.

Length	Width	Per 100	Per 1,000
4-inch	1/8 -inch	\$ .15	\$1.00
7-inch	3/8 -inch	.40	2.50

NOTE: 4-inch is suitable for budding small stocks like roses, peaches, plums, etc., and the 7-inch is suitable for budding pecans, walnuts and persimmons up to 5%-inch diameter. On pecans and walnuts we have been using a wax cloth patch under this rubber band.



# Merribone Lantern WAX MELTER

Handles nicely beeswax, or paraffin. Recommended by the leading budders and grafters. It burns alcohol, flare cannot go out. Capacity ¾-pint. Complete with metal cup and brush.

\$6.75 (Postpaid)

#### GRAFTING WAX

For budding, grafting, topworking orchard trees, and as a sealer for wounds. One pound cake, 80c; half pound cake, 50c; ¼ pound cake, 30c. Postpaid.



June Bud fruit trees photographed September 2, 1937. Over 200,000 trees in this block. Notice stobs for variety records.

#### Free Budding Bulletin

Each year for the last 10 years I have published at my own expense a Budding Bulletin which teaches by cuts and words how to bud pecan, walnut, native persimmon, hickory, roses, and all kinds of fruit trees. I like to grow trees myself and I am doing all I can to interest boys and girls and grownups in planting trees already budded and grafted and to bud worthless or inferior seedlings to fine improved varieties. This Budding Bulletin will be sent to you or your friends ABSOLUTELY FREE.

### **Berry Plants**

BOYSEN BERRIES. Boysen Berries In 1935 I visited are money makers. the famous Knott Berry Place Buena Park, California, and saw a large acreage of Boysen Berries in full bearing. So many people had come to see this wonderful new berry that cars were parked up and down the highway for several hundred yards. I had to wait some time before I could get an introduction to Mr. Knott and let him describe and show me this berry which was at the peak of its ripening, June 20th. He has written me since that he has gotten 11,500 pounds of Boysen Berries per acre.

The berry looks like a Young Berry and has a very similar flavor, but the fruit is twice as large, single berries frequently measuring 2 inches long. Mr.

Knott realized \$1,760.00 per acre from these berries in 1934.

The Boysen Berry Plants have been very high, 20c each, but since I am growing these plants myself, I am going to make them at a much cheaper price. Prices prepaid. 10 plants for \$1.25; 50 plants for \$4.95; 100 plants for \$8.90; 500 plants for \$40.00.

Note: Our Boysen Berry plants will not be ready to ship until late in January.

YOUNGBERRIES. This is a cross between a dewberry and a logan berry originating in La. Its popularity is growing rapidly in Texas and Oklahoma. As people know this berry, its planting will increase by leaps and bounds. Price 10 plants for 80c; 50 plants for \$2.50; 100 plants for \$4.00, prepaid.

AUSTIN DEWBERRY. This is the hardiest and most prolific dewberry and is the first berry to ripen. Prices prepaid, 10 plants for 60c; 50 plants for \$2.00; 100 plants for \$3.25.

See Inside of Back
Cover for description
and prices on
Dew-Blackberry plants



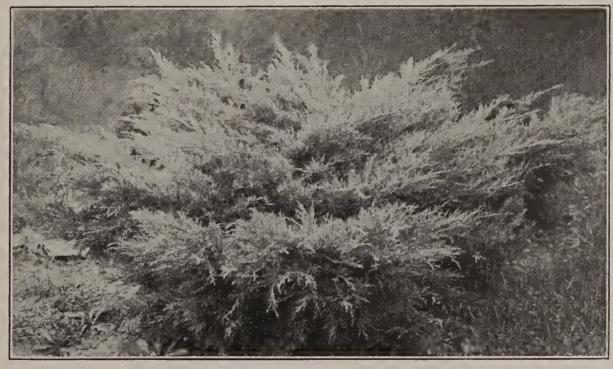
Home of Ross R. Wolfe. Let us landscape your home.

# Evergreens and Ornamentals

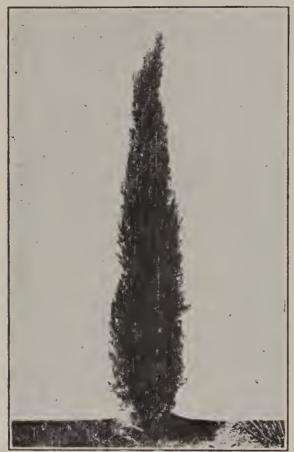
LANDSCAPING. I have a fine stock of Evergreens (about 60 varieties), shade trees, hedges, roses, vines and other material used in making homes beautiful. I will furnish cost information and complete landscape plans to homeowners in my area. I will furnish you the plants with sketches and specifications, or I can do the planting for you. Here are some of the plants we carry in stock, most of which are furnished Balled and Burlapped to insure their living. Balled Evergeens can be moved from September 15 to April 1 and longer.

Senesa
Abelia
Euonymus
Photenia
Arizona Cypress
Pyracantha
Spirea
Pampas Grass
Yucca
Nandina
Mahonia
Jasmine
Baker A. V.
Red Leaf Barberry
Berkman's Golden
A. V.

Excelsa
Desmodium
Althea
Lavender
Tamarix
Cape Jasmine
Cherry Laurel
Italian Cypress
Bonita A. V.
Spanish Broom
Crape Myrtle
Junipers
Flowering Peach
Bush Honeysuckle
Dwarf Golden A. V.



Pfitzer Juniper



Italian Cypress

# It is not a home until it is planted



Nandina

DESMODIUM. A lovely lacy shrub blooming a pink flower very much like Queen's Wreath flower. Blooms from August to frost. Postpaid, each 65c. At the nursery, 50c each.

CRAPE MYRTLE. Pink, White, and Red. Postpaid 30c each, \$3.00 per dozen. At the nursery, 25c each.

SPIREA (Bridal Wreath). Postpaid 30c each. At the nursery, 25c each.

QUEEN'S WREATH BULBS. Postpaid and at the nursery, 25 each.



Arizona Cypress

AMOOR RIVER PRIVET HEDGE. 12-18 inch, postpaid 75c per dozen; \$1.25 per 25; \$4.00 per 100; at the nursery, 60c per dozen; \$1.00 per 25; \$3.50 per 100. 18-24 inch, postpaid 90c per dozen; \$1.60 per 25; \$5.50 per 100. At the nursery 75c per 12; \$1.45 per 25; \$5.50 per 100.

If you cannot come to the nursery, write us for prices on shade trees and Evergreens.

#### BE SURE TO BUY ONE OR BOTH OF THESE SPECIAL OFFERS

# Special Offer No. 1

50	Dew-Blackberry plants	\$2.75
	Youngberry plants	0.0
1	Tena Peach, 2-3 ft	.26
6	Frank (clingstone) peach, 2-3 ft	1.56
1	Barbara Peach, 2-3 ft	.26
1	Frankie (freestone), 2-3 ft	
1	German Prune, 2-3 ft	.35
		\$6.34
70	Plants, postpaid for	3.95

### Special Offer No. 2

50	Dew-Blackberry plants\$2.75
	Mayflower Peach, 2-3 ft
	Early Rose Peach, 2-3 ft
	Dr. Burton Peach, 2-3 ft
	Frank (Clingstone) Peach, 2-3 ft
	Frankie (Freestone) Peach, 2-3 ft
2	12
	Munson Plum, 2-3 ft
	Sapa Plum Cherry
	Magnolia Fig
	Carman Grape
	Niagara Grape
	Boysen Berry plants
T	\$7.68
73	Plants, postpaid for

I have selected our finest fruits and plants to make up these special offers and I am making the low price in order to acquaint you with the high quality of plants I grow. NO CHANGE CAN BE MADE IN THESE COMBINATIONS.

### Free Fruit Trees

FREE: Mary Jane Peach sent with every order for \$5.00 or more. A free Coon Plum tree and a Mary Jane Peach free with every order for \$10.00 or more. A Magnolia Fig, a Mary Jane Peach and a Coon Plum free with every order for \$15.00 or more. Additional fruit trees will be given on larger orders. I would like to ask this favor of all my customers that they send me the names and addresses of their friends who are in the market for trees.

### **Cornfield Beans**

For ten years I have been working to get the pure strain of Cornfield Bean like they grow back in Georgia. It is hardy, and extremely prolific and while it is a pole bean it makes just as fine bush bean. In early spring or in the fall there is always a good demand for a good stringless snap bean. For fall beans I plant July 1st and I have made at the rate of from \$400 to \$1,000 per acre from year to year.

Package, 15c; Pound, 40c; 5 pounds, \$1.75 Postpaid







kaiserine Augusta Victoria



Ltoile de Holland

# ROSES White Roses

KAISERIN AUGUSTA VICTORIA: Queen of the white roses. Perfect shaped buds opening to perfect shaped blossoms.

CALEDONIA: A free continuous bloomer with large buds on long stiff stems. Very double.

#### **Red Roses**

PRICES ON ALL ROSES PREPAID

	Each	Per Doz.
Small (No. 3)	\$ .20	\$ .16
Medium (No. 2)	.25	.22
Large (No. 1)	.35	.30

RED RADIANCE: The hardiest growing and freest blooming variety of all the roses, long pointed buds on long stiff stems. Excellent for cut flowers.

ETOILE DE FRANCE: Brilliant shade of velvety red crimson. Large flowers on long stiff stems.

on long stiff stems.

FRANCIS SCOTT KEY: One of the largest deep red roses and the most double.

E. G. HILL: Beautiful large buds opening to immense flowers, unusually lasting. Dazzling scarlet shading to a deeper pure red center.

ETOILE DE HOLLAND: Dark red overlaid with almost black velvet shadings. Very beautiful and a free bloomer. Hardy.

AMERICAN BEAUTY: The old standby in red.

AMI QUINARD. HT. Darkest red, continues to improve each year. Blackish buds open to semi-double flowers of velvety crimson-maroon with soft black luster. Petals get darker as the rose opens. Old rose fragrance. Vigor and growth resemble Radiance. Very popular.



American Beauty



Columbia



Pres. Hoover







Dunnurst



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### Two-Tone and Yellow Roses

PRES. HOOVER: Buds large, long and pointed; flowers large, semi-double. Color, medium orange suffused with copper red and apricot. Hardy.

TALISMAN. HT. A rose of extra-ordinary effect. Very hardy. The urn shaped bud has a center of brownish red, exterior of gold. As the bud opens, the tints become lighter and the gold more brilliant. When in full bloom has a blend of both orange and gold. The 1933 American Rose Annual places Talisman in the No. 1 list of roses. With widespread praise and very little criticism.

LADY HILLINGDON: Apricot yellow, a free bloomer and a beautiful long pointed bud. Very hardy.

LUXEMBOURG: Long stems, flowers deep orange. One of the best two-tone roses.

SUNBURST: A golden yellow rose that is thoroughly described in its name.

#### Pink Roses

RADIANCE: Long pointed buds of beautiful clear pink on long graceful stems open into a tulip shaped blossom.

COLUMBIA: Unequal for beauty. This rose is in bloom when all other varieties are at a standstill. Buds long pointed on long graceful stems. Flowers opening to a beautiful silvery pink blossom that is very double and lasting. My favorite in pinks.

EDITH NELLIE PERKINS. Beautiful pink with coppery red and salmon, a strong hardy grower with stems and buds suitable for cut flowers.

BRIARCLIFF: Sport of Columbia with buds somewhat longer than Columbia. Flowers 41/2 inches across when well developed.



Talisman



Lady Hillingdon



Luxembourg

### **Climbing Roses**

CL. PRES. HOOVER: Vigorous climbing sport of Pres. Hoover.

CL. RED RADIANCE: Identical with the bush Radiance.

CL. TALISMAN: Sport of Talisman.

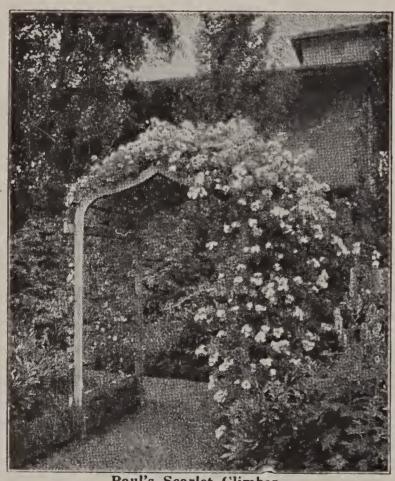
CL. KAISERINE AUGUSTA VIC-TORIA: The best white climber.

PAULS SCARLET CL. Flowers scarlet shaded bright crimson, borne in large clusters.

MARECHAL NEIL: An old favorite climber, rich yellow.

CL. COLUMBIA: A true sport of Columbia. Hardy.

All these climbers are of the very hardiest varieties and will soon cover a trellis or pergola and furnish a profusion of blossoms during the spring, summer and fall.



Paul's Scarlet Climber



Cl. K. A. Victoria

### Polyantha Roses

Beautiful for grouping and borders. Growing in popularity. Profuse bloomers.

GOLDEN SALMON: Large clusters of salmon orange and rose colored blossoms. Holds color well and a very profuse bloomer.

MISS EDITH CAVELL: Sport of Orleans Rose and the best dark red "Baby Rose", Large trusses of scarlet flowers.

ORLEANS ROSE: A very showy Baby Rose of dwarf compact growth. Huge bouquet of brilliant roses.

EBLOUISSANT: Medium sized bud, flower medium and very double. Dazzling red flowers borne in large clusters. Beautiful foliage.

These little Sweet Heart Roses are becoming more and more popular for use in landscaping, rock gardens, hedges and for borders of various kinds. The most beautiful effect is obtained by using groups all of the same color. They bloom from early spring until late frost and are a source of pleasure during the entire blooming season.

# WOLFE'S NURSERY, STEPHENVILLE, TEXAS

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# Missouri State Fruit Experiment Station

Mountain Grove, Missouri PAUL H. SHEPARD, Director

Mr. Ross R. Wolfe, Wolfe's Nursery, Stephenville, Texas

Dear Sir:

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We have had the Frank Peach growing here at our Station for about eight years. Of the 150 varieties we grow here, it is one of the half dozen that we recommend highly for plantings in South Missouri. It grows a fine tree, buds are hardy, and resistant to leaf spot.

Yours truly,
PAUL H. SHEPARD, Director

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P. S.—Get genuine Frank Trees from Wolfe's Nursery.





(PHOTOGRAPHED) DEW-BLACKBERRY. SOME OF THE BERRIES 1 INCH IN DIAMETER

### **Dew-Blackberry**

The Dew-Black is far superior to any berry I grow. This berry is a cross of the dewberry and the blackberry as the name signifies. The tips will root the first year, after that it stands and handles like a blackberry. Here are some of its good points:

- 1. Small seeds.
- 2. Self fertile.
- 3. Large as Austin Dewberry.
- 4. No bitter taste like Dallas.

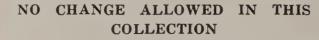
- 5. Commences to ripen May 20th and ripens for 5 weeks.
- 6. Produces a crop every year.
- 7. Drouth resistant.
- 8. Will produce 1,000 to 1,400 gallons of fruit per acre.

#### PRICE OF PLANTS

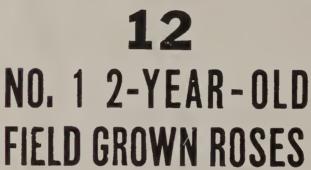
Dozen 95c; 50 \$2.75; 100 \$4.90; 1,000 \$25.00; 5,000 \$100.00 — Postpaid.



Edith Nellie Perkins



Due to the greatly reduced prices offered on this collection, we cannot substitute varieties.



- 2 Edith Nellie Perkins
- 2 K. A. Victoria

Stephenville, Texas

Shipments made until April first. No. Shipments made to Mexico, account custom regulations.

PLEASE NOTE The Roses we catalog have been grown by expert rose growers.



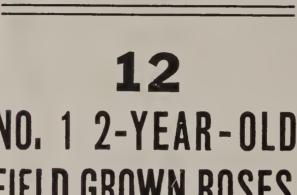


K. A. Victoria

Red Radiance

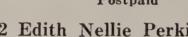


Pink Radiance

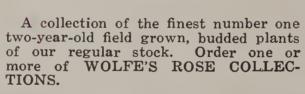








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- 2 Talisman
- 2 Pink Radiance





Etoile de Holland

Talisman